

# Amara "Bennie" Stenger- Escayg

visual development + storytelling

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## Education

### Savannah College of Art and Design- Bachelor of Fine Arts

January 2021-June 2024

Major: Animation

Minor: Storyboarding

## Work Experience

### Old Town Trolley - Trolley Designer

February 2023- June 2025

Researched design ideas to be in accordance with the ghost tour themes before translating it into a multi-view visual concept. After the design is approved, I assist in decorating the trolley including spray painting the interior and painting/ weathering props.

### What Happens When A Dream Dies Music Video - ELIOLI LLC - Composer

August 2024-November 2024

With the animation provided, I was responsible for adding the effects, lighting, and modifications as depicted by the color keys and notes given by the directors.

### Private Commissions

2017-Current

Creating character designs and illustrations for various clients based on the requirements communicated to me.

## Collaborative Projects

### Starborn - Producer

Summer 2023-Summer 2024

Would assist in the organization of the film, in addition to assigning assignments to a team of 30+ artists. While giving critiques, would visually develop characters, backgrounds, and collaborate with others to create cohesive storyboards. Towards the end of production, would composite the finished shots as well as create step-by-step guides for others to follow.

### The Sitters - Layout Artist

Fall 2024

With the designs given by the director, would draw layouts for assigned shots.

### Beasts from Before - Storyboard Artist

Fall 2023

Worked with the director to create storyboards for a live-action short.

### Unwanted Guests - Visual Development/Composer

Winter 2023

Worked with a team of 10 to create characters, environments, and storyboards for an animated short, as well as composited the film with another team member.

## Skills

Eager to learn  
Flexible  
Strong work ethic  
Efficient  
Cooperative  
Communicative  
Open-minded

## Software

Storyboard Pro	Microsoft Excel
Procreate	Microsoft Word
Adobe After Effects	Powerpoint
Adobe Premiere Pro	Google Suite
Adobe Photoshop	
Adobe Illustrator	
Adobe InDesign	

